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Part B for November 1925

SUBJECT

Solicits orders of Govt in the matter of the appointment of Thimmanna Bhatta, as guardian to the minor Swamy and Agent of the Sri Theeth ornother mutt in the Theerthahally Taluq.

No 565 dated 11.11.25 — To the Dy. Comr

Govt cannot comply with the request of the Agent

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Judl.)

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File No. 41/1925.

FILE HEADING.

Appointment of a guardian to the minor Swamy of Sri Jeeyamalter matt in the Jeeyapalli Taluk.

From

The Inspl Commr

No. 100/M-25 Dated 27.7.1925 Received 28/7/25.

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Solicits orders of Govt in the matter of the appointment of Thimmanna Bhatta - eldest brother of the minor Swamy — as guardian to the Swamy and Agent of the matt.

NOTES AND ORDERS.

Sl. 2. By The Inspl Commr
Letter no. 180 dt 12.8.25.
Calls for the entire records connected with the case.
(Records were informally rec'd on 13/8)

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The Muz Commr's letter explains the facts of the case.

C 2) The Succession of the present minor Swamy of Sri Sirkazi Matt was recognised in G.O. dt. 22.8.1923.

B 3) The Agent of the Sri Sringeri Matt who states that this Matt is subordinate to the Matt, prays that Brahmasri Raja Bhatta - the Swamy's father in his Purvashrama may be appointed as Guardian to the minor Swamy and manager of the Matt estates. As Br. Raja Bhatta is too old (being 65 years of age as per his own statement), the Commr recommends the appointment

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brother of the minor swamy-
as guardian to the swamy
and manager of the matt,
and Thimmanna Bhatta has
consented to act as such.

4) The Muz. Comm. doubts whether
Govt. in its executive capacity
can authorize the appointment of
a guardian to a minor swamy
when the matt is not under
Govt. management and states
that there is no provision in
the Muz. Regn. under which
action could be taken as
indicated by the Agent of
Sri Sringeri matt and
submits the matter for
the orders of Govt.

5) May the draft be
communicated in the matter?

Submitted.

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6) The Hindu Religious
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from P.W.D. papers
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Matt is not under Govt management and Govt have therefore nothing to do with the appointment of the guardian to the minor Swamigals. The arrangement is purely a private one and Govt does not interfere in it.

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a) Is it not a Muz dstn? If it is, is it not necessary to make proper arrangements during the minority of the Swamigal

10.10.25.

a) The Thiruvadudurai Matt is a Muz Dstn enjoying inam lands measuring 19 acres 24 cents assessed at Rs 371 & a poruppu of Rs 200 - 15 - 0 (vide Notes in Muz File 35-2-21 and 256-19). There is no provision in the Muz Regn for Govt to interfere in the manner req'd by the Muz Endt dated. The Govt acts only when there is proved mismanagement & when the Swamigal asks Govt's help

b) However now that the Madras Govt has approached Govt have been approached in the matter of the appt of a guardian to the minor Swami, the Mysore

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May perhaps be replied that Govt have no objn to Munnamal Khatoo being appointed guardian of the Swami.

Yes.

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12.10.25

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1) In Govt G.O. dated 14-2-1920, the management of the Mutt estate of a committee was initially approved. When the successor was appointed, no further orders were passed regarding the management.

The Mag. Comm: reports that the Mutt lands are being managed by the adopted Swami. It is not clear under what authority the management changed hands from the committee to the latter.

If Govt. had passed orders regarding management, when the old Swami was dead & the successor was appointed, why did not they intervene during the minority of the successor, when there was no legally appointed guardian capable of looking after the estate vide Clause (3) of Section 25 of the Mag. Regulation. Are there no precedents.

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1) In the G.O. of 14-2-1920, the committee was appointed as a tentative measure pending the determination of a suitable

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13) A successor was appointed in G O No 2872-82/Muz 352-20-2 of 19-2-21, When the Committee undertook the management of the Trust the Trustee having ceased, the father of the minor boy whose succession was effected stepping into the management.

14) As the Trust has been pleased to request that Govt can pass orders in the matter of the management during the minority of the sons in the Trust deed to be done. The request to appoint the Sirsenadhipathi, his father being too old to do the work, may be effected by Govt. under the minor Swami attains his majority.

15) There is however not there is a provision for compensation for Govt. suffer under the Muz Regn is by Proclamation

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17) As opinion of the Hon Comm. in favour of the Govt. Commissioner appointment of Branch Sirsenadhipathi as guardian of the minor swami to manage the trust state. For this purpose an application to the court

16) This will is not correct. The father could not have conferred on him the powers contained in the Trust deed. Apparently he has acted as the guardian.

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the Competent Court.

18) Hon'ble known open Court to take over the management and the Estate during the minority of the Pontiff under clause (3), of section 25 of the said Act and that question does not arise now.

(Mr. Menon)

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18) I agree with the Hon'ble Member in the absence of any provision of law under which for the time being can appeal a guardian of a minor Pontiff for the management of the Math's estate properly, I cannot see why can comply with the request of the Agent of Sringeri Math.

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20) Dfd. Submitted

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3. To The Mang. Comm.

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States that the request of the Agent of Sringeri Math cannot be complied with

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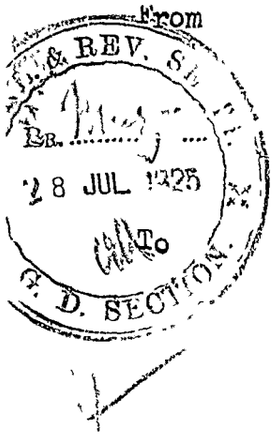
Dated Bangalore, 24th July 1925.



C. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esquire., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Bangalore.

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The Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore

Revenue Department.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.92/M.F.56-23-4 dated 18th July 1924 forwarding for disposal or report, if necessary a letter (B) dated 19th August 1923 from the agent of the Sri Sringeri Matha -- regarding the appointment of Brahmasri Nagabhatta as guardian to the Swami of the Thirthamutthur Matha, I have the honor to forward herewith copies of correspondence ending with letter No.H.C.37/24-25 dated 7-7-25 from the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District - submitting a report in the matter.

2. The succession of the present swami who is still a minor was recognized in Government Proceedings No.303/M.F.56-23-2 dated 22nd August 1923. The management of the matha and its estates is not Exx v-sted in Government, but they are being managed by the father of the minor Swami in Purvasrama. From the statement of income and expenditure obtained from the Karyadarsi and enclosed in the records it is seen that the annual expenditure comes to Rs.5905 and odd in cash and 864 Kandies of Paddy and 69 & odd Mudis of rice against an estimated income of 399¼ mds of arrecanut, 878 Kandies of Paddy 69 & odd mudies of rice and 1710-0-0 in cash. On account of extreme old age Brah: Naga Bhatta requests that his eldest son Thimmanna Bhatta may be appointed as guardian to the Swamigalu and agent of the Matha. The latter has also consented to act as such and to hold himself --- personally responsible for all transactions connected with his vahivat.

3. It is not however understood under what provision of law Brah. Naga Bhatta is making this request and how could Government in its -- executive capacity authorise him or his son to be the guardian -------

guardian of the Swami during the latters minority when the matha i not under Government management. There is no provision in the -- Muzrai Regulation under which action could be taken in the manner - indicated in Mr. Srikanta Sastry's letter of the 19th August 1923.

With the above observations, I submit the matter for the -- orders of Government.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

C S Balasundaramayya

Muzrai Commissioner.

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DD. Calling for Vern. records. to submit for appl.

Rest Expires 8/8/1928.

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Mem 41-25-2 to Muz Commr Madras 12 8 28 Calls for further Records.

The Agent's letter of 19.8.23 and The D.C's report of 7.7.23 are not available in the Papers since received. DD. calling for these pps to submit for appl or order.

10.6.25

Letter No.H.C.37/Rev 24-25 dated 21st June 1925 from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"With reference to your letter No.100/24-25 dated 9th May 1925, regarding the appointment of Brahmasri Nagabhatta, as guardian to the minor Swami of the Thirthamathur Matha in the Thirthahalli Taluk, I have the honor to forward herewith the statements of Brahmasri Nagabhatta and his elder son Mr. Thimmannabhatta, recorded by the Amildar Thirthahalli on 11th June 1925. Brahmasri Nagabhatta has no objection to his elder son Mr. Thimmannabhatta being appointed as guardian of the Swami and the latter is willing to act as guardian.

2. The file received with the Thirthahalli Sub Division Officer's No. H.C.342/24-25 dated 14th June 1925, is also submitted for reference."

"C o p y"

for Muzrai Commissioner.

KSR.

Letter No.H.C.37/Rev.24-25 dated 27th April 1925 from the Deputssioner, Shimoga District to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"With reference to your letter No.C.100 of 24-25 dated 23rd July 24, regarding the appointment of Brahmasri Naga Bhatta as ~~X~~ guardian the Swami of Thirthamuthur Matha in the Thirthahalli Taluk, I have the honor to forward herewith the file of correspondence ending with the hirthahalli Sub-Division Officers No.H.C.50/24-25 dated 14th April 1925 containing the statement called for in your letter under reference.

2. The Amildar reports that no scale has been fixed for the Matt and that it is being looked after by the Agent who is the father of the --- present minor Swamigalu.

3. As regards the appointment of Brahmasri Naga Bhatta as the guardian the Amildar reports that ~~he~~ he is too old and cannot move about. The Amildar and the Sub-Division Officer therefore recommend one Mr. Thimmanna Bhatta, the elder brother of the present Swamigalu, to be appointed as the guardian.

4. Under the circumstances reported by the Amildar and the Sub Division officer, Mr. Thimmanna Bhatta may be appointed in lieu of Brahmasri Naga Bhatta."

"C o p y"

for Muzrai Commissioner.

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Serial No. 2

Diary No. of letter replied to

No. 180

To

The Asst. Comr.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Sir,

Adverting to your letter no. 100 dy 27th July 25 reporting on the appointment of Brahmasri Nagabhatta as guardian to the swamy of the Tirthamullermath in the Tirthahalli Taluk, I am directed to request that you will do so as a sentence for reg. the Govt. records Cancelled with the subject.

I have etc.

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Dy Secy to Govt

Date of issue 12-8-25

Signed by Mr T Kamaraya

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Diary No. of letter replied to 1149

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Date of issue 11-11-25

Signed by Y Kannan

Section NV II

File No. 41

Serial No 2/1525

No. 565 Encl file

To The Inuz. Com.r

Sir,

Adverting to your letter no. 100 dy 27-7-2 Soliciting orders of Govt on the application of the Agent of Sri Sringeri matt in the matter of the appointment of a guardian & the Minor Swamy of Sri Nitya- Ma[illegible] matt in the

over.

Jinthachatti Taluk, I am
directed to state that I do not agree with you in your
in the absence of any
provision of law under
which Govt in the Mun.
Dept can appoint a
guardian to the minor
Swamy for the manage-
ment of the math and
its properties, Govt cannot
cannot comply with
the request of the Agent
of the Swamy in this matter.
I am the records are returned
herewith.

6/11/25.

Yours Respectfully
Sd/-
4/11/25

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